## DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

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## BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

| | *Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.* | *Current.* | |
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| Prices of food grains—Rice ... | 7·41 | 6·61 | Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas. |
| Ragi ... | 13·71 | 14·41 | |
| Rangoon rice, 2nd sort | | 7·47 | |

*Agricultural operations.*—Raiyats are collecting manure.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

## BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—In the taluks of Magadi and Anekal fields are being manured and thus prepared for cultivation. In Dodballapur, Devanhalli and Anekal, sugar cane is being sown.

*State of standing crops.*—Vaisakhi paddy is reported to be in good condition in the Hoskote, Devanhalli and Anekal Taluks. Sugar cane is reported to be in good condition in the Devanhalli, Kankanhalli and Anekal Taluks.

*Prospect and probable outturn* :—

In parts of the Devanhalli Dodballapur and Kankanhalli Taluks sugar cane is being milled. In the Channapatna Taluk paddy is being harvested.

Paddy.—Nelamangala, 8 to 16 annas.

,, Channapatna, 10 to 12 annas.

Sugar cane.—Devanhalli, 8 to 12 annas.

,, Anekal, 12 to 16 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. There have been a few showers of rain throughout the district. Food stocks are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available

## KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Paddy is being harvested in the Kolar, Mulbagal, Goribidnur and Bagepalli Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk and sugar cane in the Kolar Taluk.

*Crops sown.*—Sugar cane in the Kolar, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta and Bagepalli Taluks.

*Crops harvested and their probable outturn.*—Paddy in the Kolar, Mulbagal, Goribidnur and Bagepalli Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; and sugar cane in the Kolar Taluk, yield 12 annas.

*Standing crops.*—Paddy and sugar cane are in good condition, but more rain is wanted all over the district.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for one case of plague in the Kolar Gold Fields, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Pasture and fodder are available.

## TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Sugar cane in the Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks and in the Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks and paddy in the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

*Crops harvested.*—Sugar cane in the Taluks of Tumkur, Maddagiri and Kunigal and in the Sub-Taluks of Koratagere and Turuvekere; paddy in the Taluks of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Pavagada and in the Sub-Taluk of Koratagere, yield 6 to 14 annas; jola in the Pavagada Taluk, yield 4 annas; and wheat in the Pavagada Taluk, yield 2 annas.

*Standing crops*, such as sugar cane, paddy, cotton and wheat, are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

11. Except for cholera prevailing in a few villages of the Tumkur, Gubbi, Tiptur and Kunigal and small-pox in parts of the Maddagiri Taluk, public health is good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Ragi, jola and til in parts of the Mysore, Hunsur, Gundlupet and Nanjangud Taluks; jola and til in parts of the Seringapatam Taluk; jola and togari in parts of the T.-Narsipur Taluk; jola in parts of the Chamrajnagar and Mandya Taluks; and til in parts of the Heggaddevankote Taluk.

*State of standing crops.*—These are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Sugar cane in parts of the Mandya Taluk and kar paddy in parts of the Nagamangala Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Chamrajnagar and Yedatore Taluks, cholera in parts of almost all the taluks and small-pox in parts of the Nanjangud Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Kar paddy and sugar cane in the Hassan, Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks; kode paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; sugar cane in the Arkalgud, Belur and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops sown.*—Ragi and paddy in the Hassan Taluk and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; barawadi paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; ragi, castor, togari and tadagani in the Arkalgud Taluk, are being sown.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11. Except for cholera in parts of the Hassan, Arkalgud, Belur, Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available. "Foot and mouth disease" is prevailing among cattle in the Magge Hobli, Arkalgud Taluk.

## SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and manured in parts of the Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks.

*Standing crops.*—Sugar cane in parts of the Shikarpur, Sagar and Nagar Taluks is reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Vaisakhi paddy crop in Karur and Bharangi Hoblis of the Sagar Taluk is reported to have been ripening.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. But for plague and cholera in certain villages of the Shikarpur Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for sowing purposes in part of the Chikmagalur, Tarikere, Koppa, Mudgere and Sringeri Taluks and Yedahalli Sub-Taluk.

*Crops sown.*—Ragi, avare, togari and tadagani in the Chikmagalur Taluk; sugar cane in the Kadur and Tarikere Taluks and paddy in the Mudgere Taluk.

*Standing crops.*—Sugar cane and kode paddy in the Chikmagalur Taluk; sugar cane in the Tarikere and Mudgere Taluks and coffee, cordamom and sugar cane in the Mudgere Taluk, are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Sugar cane in the Chikmagalur Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. More rain is wanted for ploughing purposes. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for cholera in the town of Chikmagalur and in a few villages of the Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks and small-pox in some villages of the Chikmagalur, Tarikere, Koppa and Sringeri Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. "Foot and mouth disease" prevails among cattle in some villages of the Koppa Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

## CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops* such as paddy, sugar cane, cotton, and sanna hatti, are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Cotton in the Chitaldrug and Jagalur Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; Sugar cane in the Chitaldrug Taluk, yield 8 annas and paddy in the Challakere, Hiriyur, Molakalmuru, Jagalur and Hosdurga Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stocks are available. The few showers of Mungar rain that fell in the last week have enabled the raiyats to commence tilling operations to a certain extent; but more rain is urgently wanted.

11. Except for some cases of small-pox in the Chitaldrug Taluk, and ague in the Jagalur Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Naradi roga" in the Turuvanur village in the Chitaldrug Taluk, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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